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Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

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CURRENT TOPICS

BAM JONES has quit using tobacco THE Pres dent admires "Mikado" music Spannow rirs" are a popular delicacy at Philadelphia.

A THAMP says his shoes, like "corpora-tions," have no soles,

"TELENIN" is the newly-invented word for telegraph address

Tur man who wants the earth eventually

gets it when he leaves it. Sucoreso and maining a cat cost a

Bestonian fifty sad dollars THE Brazilians are said to be the most

Sown Dias Creek, N. J., planters report

half their oysters winter-killed.

that she has a citizen named Sheol.

tory employing five hundred operatives.

STRAWRERRIES, raised in hot houses, are in the New York market at five dollars a

of its effete roller-skating rinks into an

A NUGGET of gold weighing forty-seven onness was taken out of a mine at Forest

Is Mrs. Morgan's peach blow vase ma, not be worth \$15,000 as a vase, it may be as

an example.

twelve years past.

Tur Lieutenant Governor of Connecticut receives the extravagant (*) salary of five hundred dollars per year.

A PENNSTLVANIA preacher left in his will a situ of money to encourage the use of

"What struck the steamer Oregon?" is getting to be an perplexing an enigmu as "Who struck Billy Patterson!"

worth \$100 an acre for its timber.

The personal household of Queen Victoria is composed of over a thousand persons, costing yearly a sum of \$1,945,000.

Os all important public occasions Princ. Bismarck prominently wears the Order of Christ recently bestowed upon him by the

Ter Missouri National Greenback Labor Committee has issued a call for the State nominating convention at Sedalia, Wedness

analysis of patent "egg" and "cattle foods" that their intrinsic value bears no relation

of the funniest story tellers in Texas, and playfully calls his wife "Mother Hubbard" behind her back.

Soudan campaign.

NEW YORK CITY has only forty-seven

NEARLY \$2,000,000,000 would be due were all insured Americans to die at once Nearly \$1,000,000.000 have already been paid on death losses in America.

the Central Park, instead of using beef.

MRS. CLARA D. RAYMOND, of Wilton, Conn. is said to be the oldest woman in the and expects to celebrate her 104th birthday

ary while sojourning in Detroit, and also forfeits the mileage which would have been allowed for the distance between Pensacola

match for the late Jumbo, was recently put to death in Hamburg. He had become cious and dangerous. He was strangled

THE statement of the President of the British Board of Trade to the effect that no ocean vessel carries sufficient lifeboat accommodations will not tend to increase ocean travel either now or in the near

vived a punishment of 2,000 lashes. As high a number as 4,000 lashes is said to have been imposed in some cases, but no convict ever survived the infliction of the

A Couron (Cal.) citizen tied one end of a rope around his waist the other day, while he lassoed a Texas steer with the other. He thought he had the animal, but at the end of the first 100 yard heat he found that

A PEDDLER of Derby, Conn., fell into the water the other day and would have drowned but for the timely assistance of two young men. Glowing with gratitude, the peddler opened his pack and gave to each a lead-pencil.

Two youths got into a fight in the Knox College campus, Galesburg, Ill. While they were beating each other with shinny sticks a fat old woman appeared. knocked down the larger boy, spanked the smaller one, and then went calmly on.

XLIXTH CONGRESS.

First Session.

WASHINGTON, March 39. - SENATE .- An anti-Chinese memorial was presented from San Francisco. Memorials were also presented from the Legislature of Connecticut for cosat defenses, and from that of lows in realism to the mational barry of health. Mr. Legan's Army bill was taken up and discussed. At 4:30 p. m. the Senate went into executive session, and at 5:35 p. m. adjourned.

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House.—A number of small bills were introduced under the call of States. Resolutions looking to an investigation of the labor troubles were referred. Weelford, of Kentucky, introduced a bill granting a passion of eight dollars a mouth to all honorably distanced solders and saliers of the late war, and providing artificial index, or a men ey equivalent, for those Confederates who needed them. The Willis educational bill, identical with the Bair bill, was referred to the Committee on Labor by a vote of 18 to 13. This reference was made to get the meneure reported to the House. The bill regulating compensation of 1.8. Attorneys, Marshals and Commissioners was taken up and pending action when the morning hour expired. O'Hara, of North Carolling, asked unanimous consent to offer the carried are consideration resolutions providing for an investigation by the House of Texas, objected on the ground that Congress had no constitutional power.

Washisoros, March 30.—Sexari.—A resolution as agreed to calling for earling in

had no constitutional power:

Washindron, March 32.—Senate.—A resolution was agreed to calling for certain information from the Interior Department in reference to the proposed removal of the spokane Indians from their reservation. The Army full was taken up and discussed by Mesers. Logan and Teller. Mr. Platt addressed the Senate on the Washington Terriory bil. Mr. Voorhees introduced a bill for the admission of Moutana as a substitute for his former bill, the new measure being an unabling act. Mr. Vance gave notice that after the mersing hour to-morrow he would call up his bill for the repeal of the Civil Service law.

comming act. Mr. Vance gave notice that after the morning hour temperator to could call up has bid for the repeal of the Civil Service law.

Hotse.—Mr. Guenther rose to a question of privilege, and denied he had any understanding with the Postmaster General or the Speaker in regard to his appointment on the Committee on Postomess and Post-coals. Several committee reports were received. Consideration of the bill to regulate the compensation and duties of U.S. Attorney, Marshals and Commissioners was resumed. Pending action the morning hour expired. The Post-office appropriation bill was discussed. During the debate there was an exchange of compliments between McMillin and Hour, of Truncasse, the former expressing the opinion that there were better men than the latter in the penitentiary, while the latter had no doubt that his co league's superiors had been knowed in prison. Mr. Bandall neked chanimous consent to offer a resolution for an investigation of the Carrollon massacre. Mr. Heasan objected, notwithstanding that Barkelale, of Mississippi, requested that there might be no objection.

Washington, March 31.—Senary—A petition was presented praying for a pension for an error of the army was taken up and considered. Speeches were made by Messrs, Logan and Plumb. At 2 o'clock Mr. Vance began his speech against civil service reform. The bill for the admission of Washington Territory was taken up and supported by Mr. Dolph. After an executive session of about an hour the Senate adjourned, 4 p. m.

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Washington, April 1.—Senate.—A bill was favorably reported to creek a monument.

Abraham Lincoln at Washington, and passed. A discussion of Locan's army bill was set for Monday next. The Washington Territory bill was debated by Senators Dohn. Morgan and Frye, and the Senate adjourned after executive session until Monday.

Horse.—In committee of the whole, with Mr. Springer (11.), in the chair, a general debate was hind on the labor arbitration bill. Gibson W. Va.), Crain (Tex.), Washington and Campan sill., Tarsing (Mich.), Anderson (Kan.), Wayner and O Nelly (Mo.), Osborn and Kelbey (Pa.), Long (Mass.), Hammond (Ga.), and Lowery (Ind.), participated. Pending a vote on the measure the House adjourned.

Washington, April 2.—Senate.—Not in see

WASHINGTON. April 2 .- SENATE .- Not in ses

sion.

House, On motion of Mr O'Neill (Mo.) private business was dispensed with yeas, Ild. may, The and the House went into connition of the whole Mr. Springer (III.) in the chair on the Labor Arbitration bill, all debate on the first section being limited to being unitures. Mr. Forms (I) effected an amendment providing that if, on the written proposition of either party to the controversy to submit the diffusences to arbitration, the other party shall crusse, the party submitting the proposition him request a Judge of a United States District Court to appoint an arbitre. He regarded the bill in its present shape as an entering wedge for the enactment of such arisisation in future as would crush our organization. Therough organization, and organization.

sedge for the enactment of such aristation in future as would crush out organized lates. The rough organization, and organization alone, the labor arganization, and organization alone, the labor arganization, and so organization alone, the labor arganization and so organizations where we would be a such as the rough of the such and all questions of class charactery of organizational alone. Mr. Dibble S. G.) offered an amendment providing that the Commissioner of Labor on the request of either party to a controversy, shall order investigation to be made. The Europe of Labor, he said, had been ignosed in investigation to be made. The Europe of Labor, he said, had been ignosed the great emercency. The purport of his monument was to make the commissioner of Labor a factor in gathering information. Mr. Negley Pa.) offered an amendment providing that the Board of Aristration shall make the two providing that the Board of Aristration shall compare to the practices of certain railroad companies of maintaining a company assistant of life insurance to crade the payment of lamages for loss of life through negligence of otherwise. The amendments were all of life insurance to They provide for a Board of Arbitration which held possess the power belonging to littled States Commissioners arrounded to discuss the secrets or produce the records of the Chird States of the Chird States of the power belonging to a proceedings of any labor organization of which bemay be an officer or mather rand any arder fladings, conclusion or award made by a major by of the arbitrators shall be of the same force and effects as if all the arbitrators one arrest therein or united in making the age. The House, at its evening session, assession thrity-five peursion bills analysiquared.

WASHINGTON. April B. SENATE, - Not Washington, April R.-Senate.-Not in seesion.

House.-Mr. Robertson of Koniucky, submitted the minority report of the Committee on Elections in the contested election case of Hurd vs. Romels. Mr. James, of New York, esiled up the adverse report, on the free silever coinage bill, but Mr. O'Neil raised the question of consideration and called up the labor arbitration bill. By a vote of 80 to 15 the silver college of the members of the arbitration bill were rejected, except one by Mr. Warner, of Missourf, Bring the rate of compensation of the members of the arbitration tributal at ten dollars per day, and presenting the allow-such for employee and witnesses. The bill was finally reported and passed—Yeas 190, hays 51. The litand silver bill was then taken up for debate and continued throughout the evening session.

ANOTHER HITCH.

Striking Railroad Employes Refused Re-

Employment. Sr. Louis, Mo., April L.—Under instruc-tions from the Executive Board of Districts 101, 93 and 17, a committee from local Assembly 3,650 waited upon Master Mechanic Bartlett last evening at the Missouri shops, and tendered the services of the old shop employes. The men, they said, were ready to go to work this mornthe old shop employes. The men, they said, were ready to go to work this morning, and they desired to find out if they all would be taken back, and a list of fifty-two names was handed. Mr. Bartlett, who, after scanning it, checked off seventeen of them as the names of the men whom he would employ. The others, he said, he would not take back. Attempts of a similar nature were made by committees of the strikers at prominent points all over the Could system. In every instance the Executive Board claim that the committee received the same reply to their offers on the part of the strikers to return to work. The railroad officials stated, it is claimed, that they did not require the services of all their old employes; that they would not take them all lack and would use their own discretion in selecting. The ratio of the men, that the road were willing to take back to the number who are on strike was, the Executive Board say, about the same allover the system—seveniers out of firty, or there abouts. Reports of these committees, received by legraph, determined the Executive Board say, about the same allover the roads consent to take back all the strikers. The members of the boards want it distinctly understood that the Knights of Labor will all hang together; that one will not return to work without the others, and that the men who came out through sympathy with the members of District Assenting longer of the surfaces, in whose interest they went out, will consent to a settlement.

MOURNED AS DEAD.

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A Man Returns to Claim an Inheritance After Forty-two Years' Absence.

WOOSTER, O., April 1 .- James Henderson Hindman left his home in this county in 1844. Since that time he had been heard of 1844. Since that time he had been heard of in Indiana. Iowa and Wisconsin, until twenty years ago, when a report was received by friends here that binself and family had been murdered by Indians. The last time he was heard from he was a United Brethren minister, and it was supposed that he had gone among the Indians as a missionary. Several years ago an uncle of Henderson's, and a wealthy bachelor, died and bequeathed his nephew \$400, as he supposed he was still alive. In settling up the estate the Court ordered the administrator to place the money bequeathed to Henderson in the county treasury, in case the heir should turn up. The other day it was ascertained that a Rev. Henderson resided in Minnetonka, Minn. He proved to be the missing heir, and has come to Wooster and received his inheritance. He is now seventy years old, and is pastor of the United Hrethren Church at Minnetonka.

Public Debt Statement. Weshington, D. C., April I.—The following is a recapitulation of the debt statement issued to-day for the month of March;

Refunding certificates at 4 per c. Navy Pens on Fund at 3 per ct. Pacific R. R. bonds at 6 per ct.	213,000 14,000,000 64,623,512	0
Principal	1,240,681,462 11,862,863	0
Total	1,252,513,785	0
Principal	\$5,967,865 204,065	0

Total ___ \$1,904,003,463 00 210,230,128 (0 100,000,000 00 \$ 310,280,125 00

Net cash in Treasury..... Debt, less cash in Treasury, [April], 1996 . \$1,417,922.235 00 Debt less cash in Treasury March], 1886. . \$1,432,080,119 00

Decrease of debt during the

month
Cash in Treasury available
for reduction of the debtGold held for gold certificates
actually outstanding.
Silver held for silver certificates actually outstanding.
United States notes held for
certificates of deposit actuality outstanding.
Tash held for maturesd debt
and interest unpaid.
Fractional currency \$10,775,643 00 90,122,421 00 11,925,000 00

Total available for reduction of the debt. \$210,250,128 00 Reserve fund—
Reld for redemption of United States notes, acts of January 14, 1873, July 12, 1821. \$100,000,000 00 Unavailable for reduction of the debt:
Fractional silver coin. \$28,822,637 00 Minor coin. \$18,333 00

Total \$20,837,981 00
Certificates held as cash \$80,048,502 00
Net cash balance on hand 78,881,090 00
Total cash in Treasury as shown by Treasurer's general account \$406,967,711 00

Importation of Ostriches for Breeding. Galveston, April 1.—The bark Prasois, which arrived here to-day from Port Natal, Africa, brought thirty-six estriches, imported by C. J. Sketchly, of Los Angeles, Cal., for breeding purposes, and they are very large specimens, ranging to ten feet high.

Poisoned by Colored Stockings.

PETERSIC RG, N. J., April L.-Two weeks age a young daughter of Jacob Niper walked a distance of two miles, wearing new shoes and red stockings. The shoes were tight and greatly irritated her feet. Three days afterwards her feet began to swell, and three days afterward still both was Bually reported and passed—Yess Int.

Bury 50. The Bland silver bill was then taken
up for debate and continued throughout the
evening session.

Foreign Notes.

Tur Abbe Lixt has arrived in London.
Turs Heichstag, by a vote of 100 to 137,
decided in favor of prolonging the antiBooignist law.

SPRING FLOODS.

Chattanooga in Darkness and 5,000 People Driven from Home.

Heavy Washouts on the Railroads-Charleston, W. Va., Haif Submerged.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., April 2.- The floodad territory has been largely increased today, and at sp. m. the river reached fifty-two feet, and is rising an inch an hour. river has been failing all day at Loudon, Rockwood, Dayton and Charleston, and it is expected to reach. Its maximum, at this point before morning. No gas and no elecric lights, no water in the reservoirs, and the river still raising, is the situathousand people are homeless in this city, though they all have comfortable temthousand people are homeless in this city, though they all have comfortable temporary quarters, and relief committees are supplying the necessities of life. The Pifth Ward is completely under water, and hundreds of crafts of every description are passing to and fro from Market street railroad crossing to Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge. The water now stands a foot deep in the Union Passenger Depot, and has entered the lower floors of the Reed House and some stores on Market street. The express companies have moved to higher quarters, and at this writing the water tacks eleven inches of entering the Times counting room, which is about the average height of all the stores on Market street. A colored man and a white child were drowned to-day. The city is policed to night by the military. All the railroads on the Chattanooga side of the river are under water, in some places ten feet. Heavy washouts have occurred on the Chennali Southern and Wastern and Atlantic roads. All roads report that their lines are open except about Chattanooga; and in consequence, no connections can be made.

Charlestore, W. V. A. April 2.—The flood in the Kanacha.

can be made.

Charleston, W. Va., April 2.—The flood in the Kanawha and Eix rivers, which resulted in submerging balf the city, began receding early the morning. It is hard to tell what damage has been done to property by the high water.

An Embezzier Gets Into the Penitentiary in Forty-Eight Hours From Canada. CHICAGO, April 2.—Speedy justice was neted out to Charles Stephens in Judge the employ of the Wilmington & Ver-milion Coal Company, of this city. Fifteen months ago he absconded, and investiga-tion showed that he had embersled \$21,000 tion showed that he had emberaled \$21,000 from the company. All efforts to capture the fugutive were fruitless, and it was believed be had gone to Canada. This theory proved correct for last Tuesday the company he had robbed received a letter from him dated in Canada, saying that he was penniless and alone, and rather than remain another year in Canada he desired to return plead guilty to his crime and receive his punishment. He announced his intention of starting at once for the United States. The company sent two Pinkerton detectives to Detroit to meet him. On Wednesday they arrested him; on Thursday he was brought to this city and indicted by the grand jury; this morning he pleaded guilty before Judge Collins and was sentenced to three years imprisonment in Joliet, and this afternoon he was taken to the penitentiary.

A PARALLEL TO THE OREGON. Strange Accident With Loss of Life On the

Pacific Coast. SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—The schooner J. H. Congdon was wrecked off Point Reyes, forty miles north of here, Wednesday. Her crew was lost. The coast there is of a Her crew was lost. The coast there is of a dangerous character. The supposition was that the vessel had struck a hidden rock. An examination of the wreck showed that the schooner had been struck amidships and cut almost in two, evidently by a steamer or other craft going at a high rate of speed. The discovery has caused much excitement in marine circles, as it is feared the unknown vessel which sunk the schooner has gone to the bottom with all on board. The wreck occurred before daylight. The case furnishes a strange purallel to the loss of the Oregon. The Aquina is supposed to have been the vessel in collision.

Double Murder and Lynching.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—A double mur-der followed by the lynching of two men is reported from Southern California. Wednesday evening Peter Hermine and his son, armed with rifles, approached the premises of Eugene Walker, in Arroyo Grande Valley, San-Luis Obispo County, Grande Valley, San Luis Obispo County, and without a word opened fire upon Walker, who, with his wife and child, was in the garden. Walker fell dead. Mrs. Walker, though shot through the arm and breast picked up her child and ran to a ne gibor's, where she died. The murderers were captured and jailed. Soon after midnight a gang of masked men took the prisoners out and hanged them to a railroad bridge near by, where the bodies were found yesterday. A dispute about land was the cause of the crime.

Disestrous Exposion.

CHICAGO, April 2.—An explosion occur-ed at an early hour this morning in the new tank house of Swift & Co., the packing firm. The house was a new three story brick firm. The house was a new three story brick building located on Center avenue, near Forty-fifth street. One of the immense tanks containing putty olis mysteriously blew up, completely wrecking the building. The night watchman, David Morefield, was on the third floor at the time, and he was buried in the ruins. He was rescued in about half an hour, and was in an almost unconscious condition. He was taken to the county hospital, and may die. The loss on the building will be in the neighborhood of \$12,000.

A Great Feat in Submarine Navigation. ATHENS. April 2.- The naval officials denfelt submarine torpedo boat. Yester-day a torpedo boat, with four menon board, was submerged for six hours, and to-day it descended to a depth of thirty-five

Preacher Robs His Bride.

CONCORD, N. H., April 2.—Rev. Wm. Ham-mond, of the Free-will Baptist Church, of Franklin, decamped Thursday morning with \$2,000 belonging to a newly wedded bride. He was arrested in a Boston bank as he was cashing the check.

IS A CONFLICT IMPENDING? Troops and Strikers Concentrating at Fort Worth, Tex.

FORT WORTH, TEX., April 4.—Saturday shout noon an engine from Hodge, in charge of officers came steaming into the yards here. The officers were fired upon by strikers and two officers were fatally wounded and a third shot through the bip. The fire was returned and the conflict became general for a few minutes. Of the strikers so far as can be ascertained, only two or three were wounded. The strikers were driven off. Adjutant General King left Austin last night with two companies of State rangers. The mayor has at his command one company of militia at Clebarne and one at Dallas. Captain McMurry's company of rangers has left Harrold for Fort Worth and thirty-five volunteers at Kaufman are bolding themselves in readiness for intant service at the call of Sheriff Tarrant. Lieutemant Gibbs, who resides at Dallas, has been authorized by Governor Iretand to call out the three companies of State troops at Dallas, and two of them, the Hilternian Rifles and the Dallas Light Guards, left after midnight for Fort Worth; also a number of deputy sheriffs. These troops are in command of Lieutemant Colonel Turner, an officer who won distinction in the union army. The depot and yards at Fort Worth were guarded last night by over two hundred citizens, called into service by the mayor's proclamation, and the streets were patroiled by armed men. There was great fear of fire during the night and extra precautions were taken on that account. One hundred firemen were in waiting at the fire engine houses for any emergency, and the fires at the pumping stations were kept up to a high point all night. Offers of aid were sent from all surrounding points and engines were kept in readiness to be forwarded at a moment's notice. Strikers are arriving at Fort Worth from various outside points and the statement is made that the Knights of Labor have determined that Fort Worth shall be the point where trains shall hove, even though it costs scores of lives to accomplish it. by strikers and two officers were fatally wounded and a third shot through the hip.

BIG RASCALITY DISCLOSED.

LIGHTNING JUSTICE.

Government. SAN FRANCISCO, April 4.-The United States grand jury yesterday found indict-ments against eight prominent citizens of Collies' Court this morning. Stephens is this State for subornation of perjury in an old man, who for fifteen years was in the case of fraudulent entries of redwood the case of fraudulent entries of redwork
timber land in Humboldt County, Cal,
The names of three are Jos.
Ruse. David Evans and Charles H. King,
who collectively represent \$5,000,000 capital.
The names of the other five are not yet
known but they are said to be all wealthy
men. The Land Department at Washing
ten had reason to suspect irregularities in
the entry of these lands, and sent out
Special Agent B. F. Bergen, of the Interior
Department, to investigate the matter.
The result of Mr. Bergen's investigation
shows that the parties indicted are all members of the California Redwood Company,
it capital for which was mainly subscribed
in Scotland. The indicted parties procured
aboutsix hundred American citizens to take
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three months in Humboldt County working
tup the case, and notwithstanding the num
erous difficulties thrown in his way, has
secured testimony from over one hundred
persons who accepted the bribe. Suit will
be instituted by the Government to set
assed all those curries as well as the patents,
which have already been issued. The land
tembraces 26,000 acres of the best redwood
timber is minimum to the session.

Gladstone's Cabinet Strained.

London, April 4—A breaking up of the
Cabinet is imminent. Lord Kimberley,
Sir Wm. Harcourt, Mr. Childers and Mr.
Mundella refuses to assent to any home rule
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Indictment of Wealthy Californians for Timber Land Frands on the

Sir Wm. Harcourt, Mr. Childers and Mr. Mundella refuses to assent to any home rule Mundella refuses to assent to any home rule measure giving Ireinad control of the customs, and they threaten to resign if such a measure be insisted upon by Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Morley demands a modification of the plans for the buying out of the landlords. Mr. Gladstone, however, remains influxible and will maintain his full scheme influxible and will maintain his full scheme intact. Cabinet councils are to be held on Monday and Tuesday, and the climax will be reached on Tuesday. The Ministers themselves admit that an agreement seems improbable. Mr. Gladstone may make his statement Thursday without the approval of the Ministry.

Servant & r s in a Fire-Trap.

Sr Louis, Mo., April 4 .- An inquest was held to-day on the bodies of the four servant girls who lost their lives at the Planters' House fire vesterday. The jury visited the ecce of the fire, and in their verdict stated that the quarters for the servants were so arranged as to be virtualservants were so arranged as to be virtually a fre-trap in case of a fire when the employes were asteep. The hotel is nearly balf a century oid, but on account of its favorable location and the reputation of its table has always had a large patronage from people who generally patronize only the best hotels.

Sam Jones Done With Chicago.

Curcaso, April 4.—Sam Jones concluded his religious exhortations in Chicago to-day. In the morning he drew a large audience to Dr. Goodwin's church, and in audience to Dr. Goodwin's church, and in the afternoon and evening the Casino Rink was filled an hour before the services began. Nearly ten thousand people were present at each of the services in the rink. The collections at both services were given to Messrs. Jones and Small, and with the salary guaranteed them in advance netted them \$5,000 apiece for their four week.

The Cho River.

CINCINNATI, April 4.—The Ohio river rose three and a half inches between 6 o'clock in the morning and 6 o'clock p. m. to-day. and came to a stand at a stage of 53 feet 8 inches. Below, the Miami and Kentucky rivers were rapidly rising, and there are swells above, but it is believed the Ohlo will not go much, if a y, higher at this point.

Journsymen Bakers Will Strike.

New York. April 4.—Five hundred jour-neymen bakers last night determined to strike on May I for twelve hours' work five days of the week fourteen on Satur day, and to board where they choose.

Louisville Leaf Tobacco Marketleaf has been irregularly higher.

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bospitable people on the globe.

Iowa proudly calls attention to the fact

Lt X is the way a lozy man wrote La crosse, Wis., in the address of a letter. BERKS COUNTY, Pa., is to have a silk fac-

An iron lawed museum professor lifts a barrel of water with his teeth, in Reading.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., proposes to turn one

SCHMER plans and projects are already discussed in places where fashionable people congregate.

A WELL-KNOWN resident of Lambertville, N. J., affirms that he has drank no water for

goat meat instead of pork-

Laxn in Connecticut upon which pine trees were planted a few years ago is now

NENATOR JONES, it is said, is to return to Washington. Miss Palm, the object of his undying affection, left Detroit secretly some

day, June 2.
The Maine experiment station shows by

MINISTER HUBBARD, now in Japan, is one

On has been discovered in Upper Egypt in paying quantities. England now, more than ever, will regret the failure of the

dwelling houses which its fire department considers fire proof; seven are spartment

THE Central Park Board, New York, has decided to buy up antiquated herses and slaughter them to feed to the animals in

SENATOR JONES, of Florids, loses his sat-

Santa Rosa, Cal., contained inside of the trunk eleven gallons of pure balsam of fir. That was the amount saved, and it is thought that as much was lost.
An enormous Indian elephant, almost a

with chains being placed around his neck.

A Ressian convict is said to have sur

THE COMMONWEALTH.

Dark and heavy styles have been dult and depressed for common to medium lugs and low leaf, with medium leaf steady. and the grades above firm. Tobaccos of substance when in sound order have been in sellers' favor, while wrapping and long

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Proceedings of the Legislature.

Frankfort, March 29.—Senate.—A number of bills were passed, among them: House bill roviding for and regulating the holding of Examining Courts, and fixing the feed and jurisdiction of same. Jefferson County excepted. House bill to make the game law of 1876 apply to McCracken County. House bill amending Sections 6 and a. of Chapter 70, of General Statutes, as far as McCracken County is concerned. House bill Rings the pay of magistrates in Pulaski County sitting as Court of Claims. House bill regulating the license tax on theaters, circuses, etc., in this State. Bill regulating the fees of protein. Circuit Judges and Commonwealth strorney, providing that such pro tem. officers shall receive \$\frac{1}{2}\$ per day for such services, to be paid out of the salary of the regular officers. A motion to reconsider was laid on the table. House.—In the House this morning a resolution requesting the Governor to withdraw the troops from Greenwood was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, which virtually kills the resolution. The Revenue bill was then taken up, and discussed to the end of the season.

Frankfort, March 29.—Senate.—Bills passed of general interest: House bill ceding Salt river to the Federal Government; bill amending the school law of this State, requiring to the county. House bill authorizing Harian County to rise moment to haid a court-bouse. Resolution establishing a State Arbor Day, A resolution was offered and made a special order for Friday to appropriate \$5,000 to remove the remains of Humphrey Marshall to Frankfort and erect a monument to his memory. Proceedings of the Legislature

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House.—Bills passed: To authorize county courts to appoint special administrators for the collection and distribution of French and Spanish spolintion claims; regulating the sale of lightning rods in this commonwealth; for the benefit of the Kentucky Institution for the education of deal mutes at Danville. The bill appropriates \$1,000 to furnish the school rooms, and \$1,000 a nonly for cols, machinery, etc., and a competent engineer and foreman. A bill to permit defendants in all criminal and pensi cases to testify; incorporating the West Kontucky and Tennessee Rallroad Company; incorporating the Young Men's Mutual Life Association of Kentucky; authorizing Louisville city council to pay judges of their chancery, equity and common pleas court \$2,000 each annually in solition to the salary now paid by the State; amending the charter of the city of Dayton. In Campbell County, It increases the jurisdiction of the mayor, creat's the office of third of police, establishes a board of education, and empowers said board to issue bonds to the amount of \$15,000.

Frankfort, March 30,—Serate.—Bills passed: Husse bill amending city charter of

will find the Legislature still in session. The revenue bill occupied the rost of the session. Frankfort, April I.—Senate.—A resolution providing that the pay of members shall cease when they are not on duty was passed. The committee appointed to investigate the Eastern Lunatic Asylum, and the charges against the superintendent presented a report sustaining the superintendent and approving the management of the institution. The report was ordered printed. The resolution passed several days ago fixing April as the day for final adjournment was reconsidered, and the resolution was laid on the table. Senator Alford affered a joint resolution to adjourn April 15 and reassemble next November for a thirty days' session. It will come up to-morrow.

House.—Consideration of the Revenue Bill was resumed. The chapter under consideration was the one devoted to the collection of the revenue. In it, it is sipulated that the shriff shall execute bond to collect the tarks and if he rail to do so he shall forfeit his office and be fined \$500. His bond to be executed on or before the first Monday in January succeeding his election, and annually thereafter. He shall on the first day of May and every skixt days thereaft report to the Auditor the amount of taxes he has collected and pay over the same. The sheriff shall be allowed by the Auditor the following commission pon sums cellected: Upon the first \$5.00. to per cent.; on the second \$5.00. Specent; on the fourth \$5.00. Specent; on the first \$5.00. Specent; on the fourth \$5.00. Specent \$5.00. Specent \$5.00. Specent \$5.00. Specent \$5.00.

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Frankfort, April 2.—Srate.—Several
local bills were passed. The House bill appropriating \$122.02 to complete the branch
penitientary at Eddyville, and providing for
a special tax of three and a half cents on the
\$100 to raise said amount was passed. Bills
vetoed by the Governor: Incorporating the
Onio, Kentucky and Virginia Kailroad: Incorporating the Horkinsville Branch Railroad: Incorporating the Madison and Southeastern Railroad Company. The reason
given is that they are exempted from taxtion for a certain period, and therefore not
in accord with the Constitution.

House—The Thompson bill to define the
law under which the Governor is authorized
to call out the militial was reported by Mr.
Shacklett, from the Committee on Military
Affairs. It was discussed for a white, and
heading a motion to take, turther consideration was cut off by the revenue bill, which
was reported and considered until adjournment.

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Gro. PRITCHERT a prominent citren of Corydon, while arranging the bridle on his borse slipped and fell, the animal became frightened, and before Mr. Pritchest could regain his feet the borse stapped upon his abdomen and breast, inflicting several uglylooking wounds. Mr. Priterett was out on the street again a day or two after, and after walking several blocks he fainted and was carried to a store near by, where met-ical attention was called. He was found to be in a dying condition from the effects of